MOST WELCOME

NEWES

FROM

YORK.

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A true and perfect Relation of what hath happened in York, since his Majesties last DECLARATION.

Also the faithfull service of the Lord *Paget* for the Country, since his being at York, whereby he expressed his fidelity in the prosecution of a Reconcilement between the King and Parliament.

Also the Discovery of a most strange and terrible Attempt of M. Johnson in Darby, against Mr. James his wife in the same town, his damnable Design against the Town of Darby, and, the Discovery therof.

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Worthy Sir,

I Cannot without the fearfull and terrible ſtain of ingratitude forget your abundance of love, expreſſed un to me when you were reſident with us here in the North.

It was your deſire, and your courteſie to me, and my great neceſſity have engaged me to certifie you of all Paſſages which have bin worth any obſervation ſince your departure from us.

The common fear is of wars, and that fear is ſo farre publiſht throughout the

whole County, *that we muſt hope little leſſe can enſue.*

His Majeſty will not give leave to any conditions, but what he hath himſelf firſt propoſed.

Some Lords do encourage his Reſolutions, but the others ſtand as Neutrals rather endeavouring to perſwade him, then to encourage his Reſolution in the violent way of war.

We hear that my Lord *Pagets* abſence from the Houſe, which was beyond expectation, hath much diſcontented the Houſe, but here his intentions are found to be ſo faithfull, that wee hope they will have no ground to queſtion his fidelity and truſt.

There came lately to *York* many Cavaleers from *London*, who offered to maintain His Majeſties Reſolution of ſetting up His Standard, from which ſome well diſpoſed Lords of His Majeſties Counſell, did of late did of late diſſuade him. Theſe Cavaleers at a place called *Grimſton* within 12. miles of *Yorke*,

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upon the 16. of *June* did gather a head, being in number above threescore, and in the space of three hours by their fain insinuation had gathered unto them a great multitude more, in this Confusion they passed towards *Yorke* City, and at their first comming they did present their service unto His Majesty, as men willing to continue this miserable distraction, their whole intents complying with his Majesties Resolution of setting up his Standard.

Upon their first proffer, his Majesty was much moved and heavie, desired to have some time for respite for their Entertainment, but did the next morning being the 17. of JUNE entertain most of them, which hath given them most strange and mighty Encouragement.

I will give you for your better satisfaction some of their Names, which have bin the main Agents in this cause, but ere long I hope they will be apprehended.

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Collonel *Williams*, Capt, *Draper*. Capt. *Early*. Capt. *Stichborn*, Lievtenant *Gilbert*, Sergeant Major *Smith*, and ſome others, Thus I reſt,

Your moſt obliged Friend,

York June 18.
1642.

EDWARD ANDREWS.

SInce the peace of this Kingdome hath bin diſturbed, thoſe dangerous Agents of Rome hath practiſed many deſperate Attempts againſt this Nation; Whereby they have indeavoured the ſubverſion of our Liberties and perſons, And ſince all theſe now within theſe few dayes there aroſe a ſtrange and moſt wicked danger in Darby *Towne, where by the motion and inſtigation of one Maſter John Hamſon a Catholique, ſtrange things have happened, for after that he and his adherents had indeavoured to ſpoyle one Mr. James his houſe, when their intentions did*

did not take ſuch ſucceſſe as they expected, they entred the ſame James his houſe, and not finding him at home, ſeized upon his wife; whom after they had raviſhed, they gagged in a moſt terrible manner: and after this miſchief they plundered the houſe, and told her that this was but the beginning of what they did intend to act.

This ſlept for a ſeaſon, and within a ſmall ſpace they intended to fire the Towne, but by the information of Miſtris James his wife, their fartqer miſchief was prevented, and all their Deſigns countermanded.

Thus the Actors were diſcovered, and all things now brought to light, which they intended ſhould have bin brought to a greater light.

A Command from the High Court of Parliament, to the Justices of Peace, neer adjoyning to the Northern Roads.

IT is this day ordered by the Lords in Parliament assembled, That a strict search and Examination be made by the Justices of peace Maior, Bayliffs, Constables, and other his Majesties Officers, inhabiting, or neer adjoyning to all the Northerne Roads, for the stopping and staying of all Armes, Ammunition, Powder, Light-horses, or horses for service in the Warres, and great Saddles that are, or shal be carryed towards the North parts of England, *but by the privity and direction of one, or both Houses of Parliament; And that the said Officers shall stay them accordingly, and speedily give information thereof unto one of the Houses of Parliament.*

Ordered by the Lords in Parliament, That this shall be printed and published.

Io. Browne, Cler. Parl.